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- 1) The Domestic Priority data is incorrect. The correct Domestic Priority data date is 02/28/2005.

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